

On motion of Mr. Eichelberger,

Leave was granted the committee on Judicial Proceedings to report a bill to authorize the sale of the real estate of Jacob Ambrose, deceased, by Jacob Summers of J., administrator. for the benefit of the parties legally entitled thereto.

Mr. Given, from the select committee, to which was referred the bill entitled, "An Act relating to the tolls granted to the Baltimore and Harford turnpike company;"

Reported it without amendment, and it was read the second time, and referred to the committee on Judicial Proceedings.

Mr. Given, from the select committee, reported a bill entitled, "An Act to amend the 193d section of article 3 of Public General Laws, relating to Baltimore county, regulating the compensation of the Sheriff;"

Which was read the first time, and referred to Messrs. Given, Eichelberger and Purnell.

Mr. Stirling reported the following resolution:

Which was read the first time;

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the thanks of the State are hereby tendered to commander John Rogers, of Maryland, for his distinguished services during the rebellion, especially in organizing the iron clad fleet on the western waters; in the attack on Fort Darling; in the heroic attempt on Fort Sumter, under Admiral Dupont, and the memorable capture of the Atlanta, which fitly crowns his past career, at once the pledge and inspiration of the future.*

Mr. Firey reported the following resolutions:

Which were read the first time;

*Resolved 1st. By the General Assembly of Maryland, That we owe it to the loyal people of the State, and of the whole country, to express our sincere pleasure upon the occasion of this visit of the naval officers of Russia to our venerated capital; and through them to the Czar of Russia, our unfeigned thanks and heart-felt gratitude for the sympathy, and moral support furnished us throughout a distressing and bloody civil war; and that we hail his majesty as our acknowledged collaborer in the great work of lifting mankind from the degradation of serfdom; of striking the mitre from the heads of an hereditary nobility, and of elevating men gradually in the scale of moral and political advancement.*